

## CCRB INVESTIGATIVE RECOMMENDATION

Investigator: Rushelle Sharpe	Team: Team # 5	CCRB Case #: 201308149	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Force	<input type="checkbox"/> Discourt.	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S.
			<input type="checkbox"/> Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> O.L.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Injury
Incident Date(s) Thursday, 08/29/2013 6:00 PM	Location of Incident: inside § 87(2)(b)	Precinct: 18	18 Mo. SOL 2/28/2015	EO SOL 2/28/2015	
Date/Time CV Reported	CV Reported At: IAB	How CV Reported: Phone	Date/Time Received at CCRB Tue, 09/03/2013 10:35 AM		

Complainant/Victim	Type	Home Address
§ 87(2)(b)	§ 87(2)(b)	§ 87(2)(b)
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Witness(es)	Home Address
§ 87(2)(b)	§ 87(2)(b)

Subject Officer(s)	Shield	TaxID	Command
1. POM Ahmed Abdalla	07927	948580	MTN PCT

Officer(s)	Allegation	Investigator Recommendation
A.POM Ahmed Abdalla	Force: PO Ahmed Abdalla used pepper spray against § 87(2)(b)	§ 87(2)(b)
B.POM Ahmed Abdalla	Force: PO Ahmed Abdalla used physical force against § 87(2)(b)	§ 87(2)(b)

## Case Summary

On August 29, 2013, § 87(2)(b) contacted the IAB command center and filed a complaint on behalf of her son, § 87(2)(b). Original log number 13-37408 was generated and the complaint was forwarded to the CCRB on September 3, 2013. On August 29, 2013, at approximately 5:50 p.m., § 87(2)(b) was attempting to return an item at an unknown store, located at § 87(2)(b) in Manhattan. As he left the store, PO Ahmed Abdalla came behind § 87(2)(b) and pepper sprayed him (**Allegation A**). § 87(2)(b)'s sister, later informed IAB that PO Abdalla placed a foot (**Allegation B**) in § 87(2)(b)'s back after pepper spraying him and handcuffing him. § 87(2)(b) was escorted to Bellevue Hospital after complaining of back pain.

Neither § 87(2)(b) nor § 87(2)(b) provided any identifying information for the subject officers. The IAB report listed PO Ahmed Abdalla as a subject officer. A NYPD arrest report for § 87(2)(b)'s arrest listed PO Ahmed Abdalla, of the 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct, as § 87(2)(b)'s arresting officer. Based on the information provided in the IAB complaint report, **Allegations A and B** were pleaded against PO Abdalla.

Upon receipt of the complaint, the IAB report provided partial addresses for § 87(2)(b) and § 87(2)(b) but no telephone numbers were provided for § 87(2)(b) or § 87(2)(b). A Whitepages search conducted on September 6, 2013, yielded negative results for § 87(2)(b) or § 87(2)(b) but provided an additional address for § 87(2)(b). A Coles directory search conducted on September 6, 2013, yielded negative results for any individual names § 87(2)(b) at the addresses found. On September 11, 2013, a Lexis Nexis search confirmed the partial address and provided a secondary address for § 87(2)(b) confirmed the partial and secondary addresses for § 87(2)(b) and provided an address for § 87(2)(b) with a corresponding telephone number. Please call letters were sent to both each address found for § 87(2)(b) and § 87(2)(b) on September 17, 2013, and September 23, 2013. The CCRB called the telephone number found for § 87(2)(b)'s address on September 25, 2013, and a recording stated that the number was not in service. A search of OCA on September 25, 2013, yielded negative results for any additional contact information for § 87(2)(b) or § 87(2)(b). A search of the NYC Department of Correction inmate database on September 25, 2013 provided that § 87(2)(b) and § 87(2)(b) were not incarcerated at that time.

On October 1, 2013, IAB provided telephone numbers for § 87(2)(b) and § 87(2)(b). On October 1, 2013, the undersigned contacted § 87(2)(b) and upon answering the call and identifying herself, § 87(2)(b) was unable to speak at that time. She agreed to contact the CCRB when she was available. Between October 2, 2013, and October 10, 2013, the CCRB made four additional calls to § 87(2)(b) and left messages requesting that she contact the CCRB to discuss the complaint. As of October 16, 2013, § 87(2)(b) has not contacted the CCRB to discuss the complaint.

On October 1, 2013, the CCRB contacted § 87(2)(b) and the call rang without an answer or without a voicemail option. On October 2, 2013, the undersigned spoke with § 87(2)(b) but she was unable to speak at that time. She provided an additional contact number to the CCRB. On October 4, 2013, the CCRB contacted § 87(2)(b) but she was again unable to speak at that time, but agreed to contact the CCRB when she was available. Between October 8, 2013, and October 16, 2013, the CCRB made seven additional calls to both telephone numbers for § 87(2)(b). However, the undersigned was either unable to leave a message due to no

voicemail option available or due to the voicemail being full. As of October 16, 2013, § 87(2)(b) has not contacted the CCRB to discuss the complaint.

On October 4, 2013, § 87(2)(b) contacted the CCRB and left a message requesting that the CCRB contact him. The CCRB contacted § 87(2)(b) on October 4, 2013, and left a message requesting that he contact the CCRB. On October 4, 2013, § 87(2)(b) contacted the CCRB, and upon attempting to schedule a date for a formal interview, § 87(2)(b) opted to discuss providing a formal statement with his attorney. The undersigned provided § 87(2)(b) with a deadline of October 9, 2013, by which to contact the CCRB and provided whether he would be providing a formal statement. As § 87(2)(b) had not contacted the CCRB by agreed upon date, the CCRB contacted § 87(2)(b) on October 10, 2013. § 87(2)(b) stated that he would have a decision by the next day. Between October 11, 2013, and October 16, 2013, the CCRB made three additional calls to § 87(2)(b) and left messages requesting that § 87(2)(b) contact the CCRB with a decision. As of October 16, 2013, § 87(2)(b) has not contacted the CCRB to provide a decision.

A search of the NYC Department of Correction inmate database on October 16, 2013 provided that § 87(2)(b) and § 87(2)(b) were not incarcerated at this time. § 87(2)(b), § 87(2)(g)

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